

Threatening.
Generally cloudy tonight and Saturday morning, followed by showers; warm; south to southwest winds.

DAILY and WEEKLY reaches the homes of buyers who trade in North Adams. It is read by those of all classes whose trade is most valuable to merchants.



A rare chance to get a fine Winter Garment

Styles to suit the most fastidious. Prices to suit the most economical. Mr. Henry Peterson, direct from one of the leading Cape, Jacket and Suit houses in the country, will be at our store

Saturday to show his elegant line of Tailor Made Garments and take orders and measures without extra charge. All our garments in stock marked way down. COME SATURDAY.

Tuttie & Bryant, Wilson Block.

A Big Success!

Don't miss this chance of getting 25 per cent discount on every dollar invested at our store.

At the rate our customers are snapping up the choice pieces of

Furniture

we shall continue this sale only a short time more.

COME EARLY IN THE DAY.

Burdett & Co.

Just Stop and Think!

What better month is there in the whole year to paint in than October? What better paint than paint made of Pure Atlantic Lead and Pure Oil? Or, if you wish, here is a Ready Mixed Paint that both the makers and ourselves stand behind with a guarantee. If you want good paints go where good paints are to be had. And our prices are right.

Darby's Hardware Store
Best Lighted Store in the City. 49 Eagle Street.

Very few people

when ordering coal are particular in stating the kind—INSIST UPON HAVING

PITTSTON COAL

if you want the best, and if your dealer does not keep it order of

W. A. Cleghorn, Sole Agent,
NO. 53 HOLDEN ST.

GUSHION SOLE SHOES.

"LIKE TREADING ON AIR"

Come in at any time and let us explain the advantages of the Cushion Sole Shoe, newly patented. It has an under sole of solid leather, then a thin layer of cork, and next to the foot a soft, comfortable cushion, incased in thin leather—yielding, but not bunnings. It comes upon some of the most stylish shoes obtainable for men.

F. N. RAY, Op. Wilson House.

Special Sale!

FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY I SHALL OFFER

Couches

from \$6.98 up.

Sale to commence Monday, Oct. 25. Also an elegant line of Lamps from \$1.75 up. See them in my show windows.

Agent for Acorn stoves and Ranges.

J. H. Cody's,

House Furnisher and Undertaker.
22 to 30 Eagle Street, North Adams.

Local News!

COMMUNICATION.

A Wall from the Hamer Quarter.

EDITOR TRANSCRIPT—I was surprised last evening to see that Mr. Hamer's newspaper organ had deserted him as soon as THE TRANSCRIPT announced the candidacy of H. T. Cady for mayor. It seemed strange that the paper that has championed the man whom many want to see mayor should drop him as soon as the first gun is fired. Is that newspaper courtesy? Is there no such thing as loyalty, or does every newspaper show the white feather as soon as it sees a fight ahead. You have done one thing,—declared for Mr. Cady and you will stick by him, and that's right, if you believe him to be the best man. But Mr. Hamer's newspaper support is of the traitor kind. A HAMER MAN.

A Good Fly,elist.

EDITORS TRANSCRIPT—I want to say a word for A. A. Vadner, the bicycle rider of this city. I wish to do it because yesterday I heard a dispute between two men as to Vadner's ability as a wheelman. I want to say that he is the best young wheelman in North Adams, and that if he keeps on riding he will make some of the fast one hustle ones of these days. He is a good strong man and can stand a hot pace for a long ways. I want to say this in print for his encouragement so that he shan't be discouraged by the loud talk of some other riders. L. Y. Z.

Horrible Accident.

James Robertson of Conway and well known in this city where he was an active special police officer for some time, stopped in the city Thursday on his way home from Plessis, N. Y., where he attended the funeral of his brother A. C. Robertson who was killed at Plessis. A. C. Robertson was engineer in a saw mill and was grinding an axe Monday when his arm was caught in the belt of the machinery. The arm was pulled from the body, the right hand that part of it could be lifted up and the brain be plainly seen. Mr. Robertson lived for six hours after the accident, and was conscious most of the time. He complained of a coldness of the arm that was pulled off, and when the dead member was placed near the fire and he was told of it he said that the coldness had ceased.

—The Franco-American club wishes to announce that the only legally appointed committee to represent the club is composed of A. J. Bolduc, Joseph Yon and N. D. Groux. For information on political matters apply to the above committee. ED. BISSAILLON, President.

Crop 1897.

New Jordan Shelled Almonds, Seeded Raisins, Sultana Raisins, Table Raisins, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel and Figs. In

Canned Goods

Canned Goods I have Columbia River Salmon, Maine Corn and Succotash, Tomatoes, Golden Wax Beans, Early June and Marrow Peas and California Peaches.

Especial Care

has been exercised in making above selection and twenty years' experience puts us in position, paying cash as we do, to get the best in quality and price.

M.V.N. Braman

Telephone 2-20.

Knowledge of Fine Tailoring is a Natural Gift

It improves with experience and a careful study of the business. Our aim is the highest standard of excellence and taste in fabric, cut and finish, combined with low prices. That accounts for the extraordinary large business we are doing constantly. Our stock is always large with exclusive styles. Our special offerings for this season will interest intending purchasers. Look them over.

P. J. Boland,
Boland blk, North Adams.

Local News!

ADJOURNED MEETING

The City Council Held an Uninteresting Meeting Thursday Evening.

MR. HAMER MOVES AGAIN

Wants the Union Work Investigated to See if It is Being Done in Violation of the City Charter. A Committee Appointed Today.

The adjourned meeting of the city council held Thursday evening, was tame compared to the meeting held Monday evening. Mr. Hamer had little to say and only introduced an order that had light underneath it. The council simply voted Mr. Hamer's motion and took all the wind out of the spread sails.

It was thought that there would not be a quorum when the time to call the council to order had arrived. In a few minutes there was a quorum present, counting the president. The usual formalities were gone through and then the election returns were submitted to the council. They were afterwards received and the councilmen present signed them.

A communication was received from Acting Mayor S. P. Thayer asking that the date of the orders to borrow \$50,000 and \$5,000 be changed from April 1 to October 1. The change was voted as asked. The money was not needed by the city and the loan was not contracted, to begin April 1. The changing of the date to October 1 will save the city the half a year's interest on the sums.

Mr. Hamer introduced the following order: "Order that there be a committee of three be appointed to investigate the work being done in the Union, how much money is being expended and if it is being done by proper authority and according to the charter, and if any understanding exists between the commissioner of public works and Houghton & Gallup as to whether they are to pay any of the expense." Mr. Hamer talked on his motion and said that it had come to him that the work being done in the Union had already caused an expenditure exceeding \$500, and that it was a violation of the provisions of the city charter to do work costing more than \$500 by any other method than by contract.

Mr. Hamer's motion was passed and the meeting adjourned without the committee being appointed. The motion made no provision for the appointing of the committee. Today the president of the council appointed Councilmen Tilton, Hamer and Rice.

A HIGHWAY ACCIDENT.

Horse in Ditch, Men Thrown Out, Harness and Thill Broken.

As Peter Harrington and two of his brothers were driving down Ashland street toward home after closing their market Thursday evening they met with quite an accident in front of W. G. Cady & Co.'s shoe factory. A ditch had been dug across the street and filled, but the dirt had not been tamped down and the horse's hind legs sank into the ditch to the body. Stephen and Michael Harrington were thrown from the wagon and Stephen's shoulder was hurt so that he was unable to work today. The horse withdrew his legs from the ditch quickly, but was somewhat wrenched by the effort and one shoe was pulled off. The harness was broken and also one thill.

Among the Merchants

Samuel Cully & Co.'s special sale touches every department of their store with the mark down pencil.

When winter the aid of the north wind invokes, and the mercury dives its deepest, the theme most engaging to ladies is cloaks, and where to buy them the cheapest. The New York Cloak and Suit Co.'s styles and prices are always interesting.

Saturday is McNeill, the baker's, bargain day.

Allergretti's chocolate creams—the type-writer's favorite confection, and favorites with every other girl, at Fountain's.

Saturday morning only, from 8.30 to 11, Weber Bros. offer their 75-cent Boston make men's rubbers at 59c a pair.

Tuttie & Bryant's exhibit of winter jackets, capes and suits tomorrow. TRANSCRIPT wants ads buying buyers and sellers together quickly and surely. Three insertions for 25c.

The Program.

Following is the program of the Y. M. C. A. concert Saturday evening:
Piano solo—March, Clayton
Song, F. L. Burnham.
Robert Andrews, Jr. Rossi
Trios—A. Handicap March, Armstrong
b. Love and Duty Waltzes, Armstrong
First banjo, Harry Browne, second banjo
L. S. Browne, guitar, Herman Ketchum.
Reading—Selected
Miss Blanche Pearl Varnum.
Guitar solo—Selected,
Herman Ketchum,
Song, Harry Browne.
Reading, Miss Blanche P. Varnum.
Solo, John Haywood.

We have a fine supply of sorted hard wood, both sawed and split. Call write or telephone T. W. Richmond's coal and wood office.

Local News!

DRURY'S VICTORY.

Pittsfield's High School Football Team Defeated and the Bell Rung.

The academy bell rang again Thursday evening and the ringing was in observance of the high school team's victory over the Pittsfield high school team at Pittsfield. There was considerable enthusiasm over the defeat of the Pittsfield team. The boys who celebrated insisted on speeches from Dr. Gadsby and Instructor Richmond and Lawrence and Warren of the team. After the speeches the boys marched in a body over the principal streets and frequently gave the Drury yell.

The game at Pittsfield was fast and snappy, and was won by Drury through superior playing in every way. With the exception of O'Hearn and Moore, the home team did not compare with the visitors. Smith did well at center and Lederer, with the exception of one slip, played well at end. For Drury Lawrence did excellent work, making large holes in the line and running exceptionally well with the ball. Warren and J. Quinn did good ground gaining, the former being much superior in the line. Warren also did good work on the defensive. Maloney hit the line hard and made good gains. Drury's advantage in weight told against Pittsfield at various times. The summary:

Score, Drury 13, Pittsfield 4. Touchdowns, Warren 2, J. Quinn, Lederer. Goals from touchdowns, Warren 3. Referee, W. J. Hinchener of Pittsfield. Umpire, Mr. Dunham of North Adams. Linesmen, Mr. Drysdale of North Adams and J. W. Waters of Pittsfield. Time, 20 and 15-minute halves.

A NOTABLE ANCESTRY.

E. M. Meekins Made a Member of the Society of Colonial Wars.

E. M. Meekins of this city has recently had the honor of being made a member of the Society of Colonial Wars of Massachusetts, and so becomes the first member of that society in North Adams. Eligibility to the society requires that one must be a soldier or sailor in the military forces of Great Britain in any of the colonial wars, or from some office-holder in any colonial government from May 13, 1607 to April 19, 1775.

Mr. Meekins has been able to trace his ancestry back nine generations, to Thomas Meekins who came to this country from England in 1635, and who was a deputy to the general court at Boston from the town of Braintree, Mass., in 1644, as recorded in the Massachusetts state records. He died at Hatfield in 1687. This ancestral office-holder left as one of his legacies to future generations of descendants the full right of membership to the Society of Colonial Wars. It was a son of this Thomas Meekins (Thomas, Jr.), who was killed at Haddley, October 19, 1687, while acting as leader of ten scouts sent out against a party of King Philip's warriors.

The Meekins family has long had its home in the Connecticut valley about Northampton, Williamsburg and Hatfield, where it is honored and respected as being one of the oldest and best. The immigrant from there to North Adams sustains the family reputation, and the Colonial society will testify as to his ancestry.

A Tussle With Horan.

Turnkey Whipple of Pittsfield jail has four stitches in his forehead as the result of the tussle with Horan, who was suffering with delirium tremens and was confined in a cage at the jail. Dr. Burton, who took a hand in the effort to subdue the prisoner, has some stitches, as has Juller Fuller, who assisted the other two men. Horan is in a straight jacket now.

Birthday Observed.

The children of St. Joseph's school observed the anniversary of the feast day of the rector of St. Francis' parish Thursday afternoon by a program of songs and recitations. The rector, Rev. Charles E. Burke, was present at the exercises and was presented with a beautiful alb, part of the sacerdotal robes. He made a short address to the children and was very much pleased with the exercises and the gift.

Social and Dance.

Court North Adams, American Order of Foresters, will hold a social and dance in Columbia opera house this evening. The ideal orchestra will furnish music and the committee in charge have arranged to furnish an evening of much pleasure and enjoyment to all who attend. About 50 people from the Adams court of Foresters are expected.

A Pleasant Party.

Another successful whist party was given by Division 10, A. O. H., in their hall on Eagle street last evening. Eighteen tables were played and the prizes were awarded to Mrs. M. E. Kelly and John Leutz. After whist was over dancing was enjoyed with music by the Misses Mansfield and prompting by Prof. Mead.

Judge Danforth's Will.

The will of the late Judge Danforth of Williamstown has been offered for probate. He gives his wife the life use of all his property, and his son is the residuary legatee.

By Telegraph

Off the Wires Today.

Madrid, Spain, Nov. 5.—The Spanish government, as a result of the deliberations of the ministers over the utterances of General Weyler, the former captain-general of Cuba, has come to the decision to try him by court martial, no matter where he lands, if he confirms the truth of the remarks attributed to him. It is presumed that commanding officers at all the ports of the Spanish kingdom have been instructed to demand of General Weyler, the moment he can be communicated with, the exact terms of the speech which he delivered in reply to the manifestation at Havana upon the occasion of his embarkation for Spain on board the Spanish steamer Montserrat.

Columbus, O., Nov. 5.—The legislative contest is critical, and the elections will be carried into the courts. The vote of Wood county is being desperately fought over. The Republicans claim the county by 25 and the Democrats claim it by 5. If Wood county is Republican the legislature would stand Republican 74, Democrats 71. The state constitution requires 73 votes to elect a senator or a majority of all the 145 members on joint ballot. With only 74 members, a death or vacancy might defeat Hanna.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 5.—A train on the St. L. & S. W. arrived here today, after having killed a nation boss and three negro children and having a passenger commit suicide on the train. This bloody work was all done last night.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 5.—The Olive Pecker crew from Bahia, Brazil is at Hampton Roads. They will be tried for murder and mutiny.

New York, Nov. 5.—Richard Croker is better today and able to be out of bed.

Local News!

Local Men Won.

The first games of a series in a pool tournament to be played between the Colonial club of Adams and the Berkshire club of this city were played at the latter's parlors in this city Thursday evening. The Berkshire gentlemen won two of the three series of 50-point games, and in the grand total had 30 points to spare. Next week, Thursday evening, the same men will play at the Colonial club's parlors in Adams. There are six men from each club and each couple will play 100 points.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

—Miss Lena Holland and Harry Powell, both of this city, will be married Monday.

—The W. R. C. will serve a ten cent supper Saturday from 5 to 7 o'clock in J. A. R. hall.

—The Thanksgiving festival at St. Francis church will be held Thursday and Friday evenings, the 25th and 26th.

—Mrs. Helen Haskins and niece, Minnie, of 125 State street have just returned from a visit to New York, Jersey City and Staten Island.

—The annual service and corporate communion of the Girls' Friendly society will be observed at St. John's tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

—The Epworth league of the M. E. church have their social tonight and cordially invite all members and friends to come and enjoy a good time.

—Kate Rooney in her new farce-comedy "A Girl from Ireland" will be the attraction at the Columbia Monday night. Seats go on sale at Bartlett's Saturday.

—The Bates comedy company gave a fine performance of "Reddy, the Mail Girl" at the Wilson last evening. Tonight, "Huldah, or Woman's Wit" will be the bill.

—Stockton and O'Brien will run a 100-yards foot race on the fair grounds Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock for \$25 a side. Prior to the foot race there will be a horse race.

—The correct and only pictures of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight will be seen for the first time in this city at the Wilson opera house Wednesday afternoon and evening.

—The Pittsfield Salvation Army enjoyed a supper Thursday evening at their barracks and it was well attended. Capt. Anna Corp of the North Adams army was present and assisted in the meeting later.

—Joseph McAdoo has sold his sold his property on Meadow street, comprising three houses and lots, to George N. Rich. The price is between \$8,000 and \$9,000. Two of the lots are on corners and are desirable property.

BLACKINTON.

E. W. Blackinton is at Cosayuna lake for a few days hunting and fishing. William Fallon and J. H. Mahoney will represent the F. M. T. A. society at the county convention to be held at Hinsdale Sunday.

Principal M. W. Thomas will deliver the first of a series of lectures on physiology before the Y. M. M. I. society in their rooms this evening. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The rooms of the Young Men's society have been entirely renovated. Two new carpets have been laid and the rooms present a very cheerful and attractive appearance.

The movement to form a temperance society for young men is receiving considerable encouragement and a meeting is soon to be called for the purpose of perfecting an organization. There is ample room for such an organization here and every assistance should be given to the work of organizing.

Top-Coat Weather

is billed to appear with November. Our Top-Coat stock starts with a \$7 50 all-wool coat and reaches the tip-top of top-coat perfection at \$25.

"Opportunities," said the old dandy, "are sure to come to every man, but its only the bright man dat knows um when dey comes."

It does not need great sharpness to see the opportunities we offer in Top-Coats with this long range of qualities and prices.

Winter Overcoats

to the front in a few days. Nothing too good, nothing too new or stylish for us to show you.

Bring in your entire family to be overcoated. The wee boy will find the reefers and cape coats from \$2 50 to 6. School boys will find rugged reefers, overcoats and ulsters \$2 50 to 6. Young men will find stylish overcoats just to their liking at \$4 to 12. And the fathers can see the most bewildering assortment of new and up-to-date overcoats ever shown in North Adams. Cutting's prices are lowest, \$5 to 25.

Cutting & Co.

Wholesale Retailers

The shoe wont pinch



If you let us give you the proper shape for your foot. We not only give you a good fit, but will sell you a shoe that is right at a right price.

Murdock's
Shoe Store,
7 Eagle St.
Just off Main St.

Boston Store.

W. J. TAYLOR, Blackinton Block.



Another New Lot of Ladies' and Children's Jackets and Capes just received. Special Sale Saturday.

40 per cent discount on all cash sales. That means a saving of from 2 to \$3 on a garment, to you.

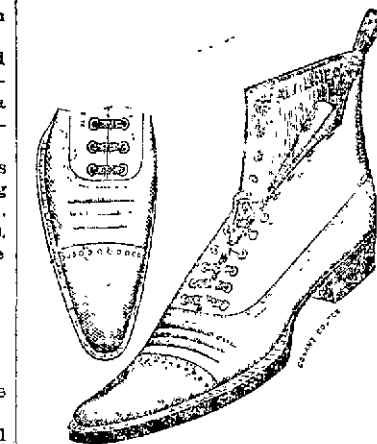


Agents BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS,.....
Boston Store.

Better Become Acquainted

With the new goods we show for Winter Suits and Overcoats—new weaves, new patterns, new colorings. Suits 15, 16, 18, 20, and \$25. Trousers 3.50, 4, 5, 6, 7, and \$8. Correct styles and perfect tailoring guaranteed.

American Tailor, 31 Eagle St.



Men's Fall & Winter Shoes.

As complete a line as can be found in the city. Winter-Russets and Box Calf, Calf-Lined Shoes at \$3 and \$3.50.

Sole Agent for W. L. Douglas Shoes.

"Your money's worth or your money back."

J. T. MULCARE,
112 MAIN STREET.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

In addition to the largest stock of Bicycle supplies in Berkshire county we have added a complete line of

Lock and Gunsmiths' Supplies,

and also umbrella stock. We employ a licensed lock-smith who is an expert at safe work as well. Our gunsmith is a experienced worker. Give us a try at your umbrella. You don't have to wait until Main street is passable. Just call up 245-2 and leave your order. Our help will do the rest. When tinkers fail you, try us.

Berkshire Cycle Co.

92 Main St., Hoosic Court. C. H. Hubbard, Mgr.

The Transcript

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TRANSCRIPT PUBLISHING COMPANY,
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FROM
THE TRANSCRIPT BUILDING, BANK STREET,
NORTH ADAMS, MASS.

I know not what record or sin awaits me
in the other world; but this I do know;
that I never was so mean as to despise a
man because he was poor, because he was
ignorant, or because he was black.

—John A. Andrew.

MEMBERS ASSOCIATED PRESS.

The latest telegraphic dispatches from all parts of the world are received exclusively by THE TRANSCRIPT up to the hour of going to press.

"WE HOLD THE WESTERN GATEWAY."

From the Seal of the city of North Adams.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOV. 5, '07

ADVERTISERS IN THE TRANSCRIPT

are the best business men in this community. Their advertisements are worth reading, and they are the firms with whom to trade most advantageously.

A LESSON FROM TAMMANY.

Republicans of North Adams can learn a lesson from the recent election in New York. Tammany, united and organized, was strong in victory. Republicanism, rent in twain and disorganized, was weak in defeat. It is always thus in politics. Whatever may be said, and truthfully, about the corruption of Tammany, its organization is a marvel, and a pattern it would be well for other parties who hope for power and wish to secure it to follow. The Republican party, it seems, is about the easiest organization to disrupt in the world. It has the habit, or a portion of it, of being caajoled into running off on all sorts of tangents. "Reform," "citizens," and similar expressions, whatever they mean, or whether or no they mean anything, are the cries that offend large sections of the party either to Scylla or Charybdis. What's the reason? It is because so large a percent of Republicans are only Republicans on election day, and their party spirit is not high. They are not faithful enough or interested enough in the party organization to take part in caucuses and committee meetings, and thus be in close touch with party management.

North Adams Republicans need a great awakening in this respect. One-day-in-the-year Republicans are poor party men. The Republicans of this city have a duty to perform, as they value the party's perpetuity and prosperity. It is their duty to attend the primary caucuses and caucuses of the party and to become a part and parcel of the heart and soul of the organization, to help in its plans and to aid in its success. If the Republicans of North Adams take the proper interest in the doings of the city and ward committees and their make-up, of the primaries and their nominees, they will have no occasion on election day to find fault with their party's course or their party's nominations.

North Adams Republicans should think and talk and work together. Organization wins. And organization means co-operation. Added strength and power for this city will be given to the party in this city if its members are alive to the proper party spirit. The secret of Tammany's power is unification, as boldly shown forth by Mayor-Elect Van Wyck when he declared: "We shall put our Democrats on guard." In a higher and better sense North Adams' Republicans success may be assured by a live, working interest in party organization upon the part of every one worthy of the name Republican.

PRESIDENT'S THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

In remembrance of God's goodness to us during the past year, which has been so abundant, "Let us offer unto Him our thanksgiving and pay our vows unto the Lord our God." Under His watchful providence industry has prospered, the conditions of labor have been improved, the rewards of the husbandman have been increased and the comforts of our homes multiplied. His mighty hand has preserved peace and protected the nation. Respect for law and order has been strengthened, love of free institutions cherished and all sections of our beloved country brought into closer bonds of fraternal regard and generous co-operation. For these great benefits it is our duty to praise the Lord in a spirit of humility and gratitude and to offer up to him our most earnest supplications. That we may acknowledge our obligations as a people to him who has so graciously granted us the blessings of free government and material prosperity. I, William McKinley, president of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the 25th day of November, for national thanksgiving and prayer which all of the people are invited to observe with appropriate religious services in their respective places of worship. On this day of rejoicing and domestic reunion let our prayer ascend to the giver of every good and perfect gift for the continuance of his love and favor to us, that our hearts may be filled with charity and good will, and that we may be ever worthy of his beneficent concern.

OCASION FOR CONGRATULATION.

[From the Boston Herald.]
The city of North Adams continues to find frequent occasion for congratulating herself on the possession of so public-spirited and generous a citizen as Mayor Houghton. His gifts to the city, in his own behalf and in that of his deceased brother, are as numerous and substantial as they are appropriate and useful.

The new congressional library has been opened to the public; but the name of Tom Moore does not appear among those admitted.

The Citizens' Union

"Low" would surely count. But the game was different Tuesday.

Even the cows are going to the Klondike. When they get there they will turn into gold, at \$2 a pound.

Marshall Blanco has formally placed his generals, and thus given the insurgents a job of displacing them.

And now we have braced ourselves for the dreary interval of six weeks before another election comes in this city.

Lieutenant Kungel should get in his work on Cuba with that Hoboken bombship before congress gets the start of him.

The department of vertebrate paleontology of Princeton will send one of the most important expeditions ever dispatched to foreign lands. Backbone studies have been greatly stimulated by Mr. Cleveland's coming to Princeton.

Now a report comes from Boston that Frank P. Bennett of Saugus is to make another attempt to be speaker of the house of representatives. This is one of his periodical spasms, that's all. Speaker Bates can proceed at once to make up his committees. There will be no change in the program. He has so ably and impartially filled the speaker's chair that every one of the returning representatives is not only willing but anxious to vote again for Speaker John L. Bates.

A city can derive incalculable benefits from advertising. But there are certain kinds of advertising that North Adams has been receiving that is in no way a benefit, but a positive detriment. North Adams can stand, and prosper under, the truth it told about it, but misrepresentation, malignant in character and utterly groundless, in fact, while they will do no harm at home or among those who know and understand the unworthy motives of those making them, are likely to give the city a "black eye" with strangers. North Adams is united. Its citizens so far as material progress is concerned, know no divisions and no factions, and the outside world should be given to know this. Those representing the case to be otherwise, that North Adams is rent with internal quarrels and dissensions, and split with factions, and hesitant upon the line demarcation of between progress and retrogression, are enemies to the city's best interests, are falsifying the facts, and their room is of more benefit than their presence in this city.

A PIANO RECITAL.

Miss Bessie Cutting Assisted by Messrs. Hunter and Robers Will Give It.

Miss Bessie Cutting will give a piano recital in the Universalist church next Monday evening. She will be assisted by Miss Mabel Estelle Chapin of Pittsfield, Joseph Tafford Hunter of this city and David Roberts. At the next recital Miss Grace Wood of Pittsfield, Miss May Larkin, John Fallon, Maurice Phillips and James Mosley Chambers of this city will be heard. Following is the program for Monday night's recital:

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| Salute a Pesth, | Kowalski |
| Miss Cutting, | |
| Song—Not Mine be Monarch's Throne, | Lane |
| Mr. Hunter, | |
| a. Memories, | G. W. Marston |
| b. Aspiration, | |
| Miss Cutting, | |
| Aria from Ruy Blas, | Gomez |
| Miss Chapin, | |
| Reverie Poetique, | Homer Bartlett |
| Miss Cutting, | |
| Serenade—Love Song, Mrs. H. H. Beach | |
| Miss Chapin, | |
| Shepherd's Dance, | Ethelbert Nevins |
| Miss Cutting, | |
| Barcarolle—The Sea, | Verne |
| Mr. Hunter, | |
| Acacia, | Edward Holtz |
| Miss Cutting, | |
| Waltz Song—Se Caran Rose, | Arditi |
| Miss Chapin, | |
| Polka de Concert, | Homer Bartlett |
| Miss Cutting, | |

THOROUGHLY TOUGH.

A Man Claiming Williamstown as His Home Arrested in Troy.

The Troy Record of this morning contained the following item:
"A roughly dressed stranger approached Detective Kensky at the corner of Fourth street and Broadway Thursday night and said menacingly: 'Say, gim'e me dime, mister.' 'Where did you come from?' asked the detective. 'None o'yer bizness,' answered the roughly dressed one. 'I'll make it my business' answered the detective, as he took the man into custody and walked him to the second precinct station. At the station house the prisoner said his name was William Rice and that he came from Williamstown, Mass. When asked if he had ever 'done time,' he answered 'I've done er bite at Pittsfield an' Syracuse, dat's all.'"

The Bridge Shipped.

The departments of public works has been officially notified, the notification coming today, that the Main street bridge has been shipped.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure

The new congressional library has been opened to the public; but the name of Tom Moore does not appear among those admitted.

HE WILL DIE IN JAIL

Hobbs the Notorious Stockbridge Bank Embezzler Is a Doomed Man.

THIS IS DR. BURTON'S OPINION

Another Case Arising Out of the Hobbs' Complications Takes Much of the Superior Court's Time. Cases of Local Interest. Clarksburg Affair.

Hearing was begun Thursday evening at Pittsfield in the case of Receiver Spaulding of the Stockbridge savings bank against the Amherst savings bank to recover \$5000, claimed to have been deposited by ex-Receiver Hobbs as collateral on a probate matter in Hampshire county, and which it is claimed was funds of the Stockbridge savings bank. Judge Lilley began the hearing last evening and sat until 9:30. Lawyer Hammond appears for the defense and Lawyer Hibbard for the receiver.

The hearing lasted until 11 o'clock. The Amherst savings bank is not held liable, and the \$5000 is deposited in trust pending decision. Hobbs was trustee under the deed of the Cooley Cable Dickinson estate and subsequently it was learned that he squandered that in western speculation. Mr. Stockbridge and Mr. Kendrick were on his bond and desired to be relieved, and so petitioned the court in Northampton. Hobbs, who had acted as receiver of the Stockbridge savings bank, drew from the Pittsfield bank \$5000 in money. He sent \$3000 to Bridgeport by express to a friend, who got him a New York draft, which was sent to W. A. Dickinson, who indorsed it to Lawyer Cooper, the bondsmen's attorney in Amherst. Register Abbott indorsed it without recourse. Mr. Stockbridge testified that Hobbs told him in states-prison that he did not know whether it was his own or the Stockbridge bank's money. The case will be argued Monday. Dr. Burton of Pittsfield, who saw Hobbs in Charlestown yesterday, testified that he was practically a doomed man and would never leave the prison alive.

The case of Anna H. Davis against John O. Carpenter came up. The girl claims residence in Clarksburg, although her father lives in Readsboro, Vt., where Carpenter's family also lives. She alleges that the young man is the father of her child, born last August. The point is raised in the defense by Lawyer Green of Greenfield, that the girl has claimed a residence in Clarksburg only for the purpose of suit, and that she is a resident of Vermont, where her father lives. The girl says that her father gave her her freedom, and she was offered and accepted a home with one Brown of Clarksburg in July. The case embraces some nice law points and will go to the supreme court on appeal. Judge Lilley took the papers and will give his decision this morning. Carpenter is in Greenfield now. In the divorce hearing Myra L. Bramble was given a decree nisi from William J. Bramble for desertion.

District Court.

The following cases were disposed of in court this morning:
E. J. Longs, drunkenness, 30 days in the house of correction.
Michael Osbury, drunkenness, told to leave the city.
James Loeber, assault on Aaron Prussion, continued until November 13.

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WILLIAMSTOWN

Interesting Football Gossip—Horse Lost and Found—For the Benefit of the Post—Found in an Old Desk—Preparing for the Bazaar.

Football Matters.

The game with Amherst at Amherst Saturday will be one of much interest owing to the old rivalry between the two colleges and the fact that Williams will make a desperate effort to win, despite all the hard luck it has had thus far this season. John Ryan of North Adams has been coaching the team this week and Savatelle of Auburn Theological seminary has been helping. He was a member of the '91 team. Fred Draper of Harvard law school will arrive next Monday to help coach the team, which it is believed yet has a fighting chance for the championship. The team has been doing good work this week and if it plays as well in the championship game as it has in the practice games it will make a good showing. There will be some changes in the line as the team will meet Amherst, and there will be no lack of "motives" to keep up their courage. Nearly 100 students have already signed to go and there will be a mass meeting tonight in Alumni hall with speeches, etc., to stir up further enthusiasm and to enlist more men in the "rooting" brigade. It is believed as many as 150 students will accompany the team, which will go on the 9,40 train Saturday morning. If the Amherst game is won the blood of the team will be up and the fur will fly in the two remaining games, which will be played with Cornell at Buffalo November 13, and with Dartmouth on Weston field November 20.

Horse Lost and Found.

David Porter traded horses last week with a man living about a mile beyond Petersburg, N. Y. He brought his horse home and turned him into N. H. Sabins' pasture, and in a few days the animal was missing. Mr. Porter made diligent search and inquiry about town, but could get no track of his horse. Wednesday he drove to the farm where he got the horse and found the animal there. The horse had become homesick, left the pasture and returned to his old home. Mr. Porter was greatly relieved to find him and returned to this town with him Wednesday night.

Found in an Old Desk.

W. H. Lamphear, who is fitting up an old desk owned by N. H. Sabins, found in one of the pigeon holes a very old paper which was apparently an advertisement of "Webster's Calendar; or the Albany Almanack for 1855," which was said to contain, besides the usual astronomical calculations, a large number of other things that were enumerated on the sheet. The paper is yellow with age, but it is well preserved. There was also in the pigeon hole an article clipped from a North Adams paper in 1854. It is not known whether or not these papers are valued by Mr. Sabins, but they will be carefully preserved by Mr. Lamphear and returned with the desk.

For the Post's Benefit.

The drama, "A Noble Outcast," will be presented in the opera house by local talent in the near future for the benefit of Hopkins Grand Army post. The play was successfully given at Blackinton last winter under the direction of John Ward, who will direct its presentation here, and a number of the same cast will take part, the balance being made up of young people living in this village.

Preparing for the Bazaar.

The Citizens' band is busy preparing for the bazaar which will open in Severance's hall Wednesday evening, November 10. It will be held six nights, and every effort will be made to pleasantly entertain those who attend. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the fund and a liberal patronage is hoped for.

A regular meeting of the Cosmopolitan club will be held next Monday evening and an entertainment of some kind will be provided by George E. Waterman and Rev. Theodore Sedgwick, the committee recently appointed for that purpose. W. F. Williams, who has been sick for some time, is out again. The King's Daughters of St. John's church gave a reception to the confirmation class in the parish room Wednesday evening. A pleasant social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served. Henry Russell is preparing to open a cobbler's shop and will probably locate in the Danforth block on Spring street. Mrs. John McNamara's daughter, Anna, sailed from New York a few days ago for Europe and will spend the winter with relatives in Ireland. They will return in June. Miss Milo Partridge of Orange is visiting friends in this town, where she formerly lived. Beginning next Tuesday, the people's market will close Tuesday and Friday evenings at 6:30 o'clock. Joseph Richard's new house in Riverside is crowded and the inside work is going along rapidly. Winford Moody has replaced the old pipe conducting water from a spring to his house with new pipe. The line is about a quarter of a mile long and crosses Broad brook, and it was quite a job. Mrs. Esther Taylor, who cut her arm severely about two weeks ago by falling on a piece of glass, is still suffering from the effects of the injury. The arm is much swollen and in bad condition, and it will be a long time before she fully recovers. Quite an improvement has been made by widening the road between the depot crossing and Cole's grove. The second coat of stone is being placed on Cole avenue and rolled down. The work will not be extended beyond Church street this fall, but will probably be continued to the depot next year. E. E. Blevins, the furniture dealer, has placed a line of crockery in his store.

Town Talk.

Watches repaired at Margala's Prices.

To do our location, 5 Bank street, George E. Eaton will for the next 60 days, repair watches at about one-half Main street prices.

DEATH NESTS.

MUNYON TALKS ABOUT THE KIDNEYS.

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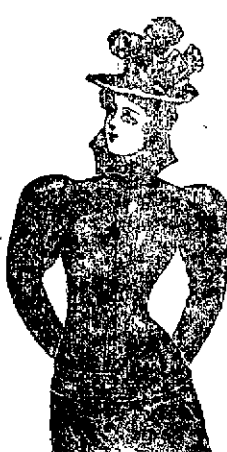


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	1.50	2.75	4.00
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An injury sustained six weeks ago by Mrs. Richard Briggs of 150 South Church street is proving to be a very serious matter. About the time of the Hoosac Valley fair she was thrown from her bicycle. Her right elbow was painfully hurt, but no bones were broken or displaced and the injury was not considered serious. The next day while doing her work she sustained another fall and struck on the injured elbow. The arm then demanded the services of a physician, but long continued treatment failed of the desired effect and last week, by the advice of her physician, Mrs. Briggs consulted Dr. Pad-dock of Pittsfield. He was unable to give her the encouragement she had hoped for and she then decided to visit Dr. Sweet of Amsterdam, N. Y., the famous bone set- tor, whose services have been very bene- ficial to several people in this city who have found help at his hands when fail- ing elsewhere.

But Mrs. Briggs' injury is a peculiar one and even Dr. Sweet was puzzled to tell what the outcome will be. The trouble is not with the bones, but with the cords and ligaments, and therefore there is not the field for the exercise of Dr. Sweet's special skill that there would be if it were fracture or displacement of the bones. Dr. Sweet examined the arm carefully and pronounced it a very serious case. He could do nothing for Mrs. Briggs by a single treatment and advised her to go to Amsterdam and remain for a time, that he may treat the arm daily and care- fully note the results. Dr. Sweet says it help is not procured soon the arm will wither and its use be permanently lost. This announcement is very distressing to Mrs. Briggs and her family and friends, and it is earnestly to be hoped that such a calamity may be averted. Mrs. Briggs returned from Amsterdam Thursday night to make arrangements to go back and place herself in the care of Dr. Sweet un- til such time as he can determine whether he can help her or not. It is the hope of all who know her that her arm may be materially benefited, if not entirely re- stored to its normal condition.

The Largest Majority.
Most of the people of North Adams and vicinity have decided that F. Sully, 81 Main street, has the finest peanuts to be found in this state, for sale at whole- sale or retail.

WHOSE FAULT IS IT?

A Local Occurrence That Will Interest Many Readers in North Adams.

If, when a fog horn warns the mariner to sheer off the coast, he still hugs the shore and wrecks upon it, whose fault is it? If the red switch light is up and the engine driver deliberately pulls ahead and pitches into another train, blame the driver. If a careless workman will in spite of warning try to find out how many teeth a buzz-saw has, and the saw tries to find out how many fingers the workman has, blame the workman, not the saw. If a sick man knows that a certain medicine is doing him good, and he carelessly neg- lects to use it, blame the man, not the medicine. If North Adams people, who have kidney complaint and backache, will not take Doan's Kidney Pills when they are endorsed by scores of citizens, blame the people, not the indorsers. Read this indorsement:

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AT ADAMS TODAY.

His 32d Anniversary.
Rev. D. C. Moran, pastor of St. Thomas' church, today celebrated his 32d anniver- sary as a priest. A solemn high mass was celebrated at St. Thomas' church this morning with Rev. Fr. Moran celebrant. The altar was beautifully trimmed and decorated with flowers and presented a very appropriate appearance. The junior choir sang special music which was ar- ranged for the occasion. Fr. McGrath was deacon and Fr. Coyne, sub-deacon. Rev. Fr. Adrian of Great Barrington was master of ceremonies. During his 32 years as a priest Fr. Moran has worked earn- estly and zealously for his flock and he has always been devoted to the interests of his people. It is the wish of his parish and many friends that he may enjoy health and happiness to celebrate his 64th anniversary.

Will Be Worth Seeing.

There will be a football game at Forest park Saturday afternoon between the Pittsfield high school and the Crescent Eleven of this town. The Pittsfield eleven is one of the strongest high school teams in the state, and already this year they have won some excellent victories. They are all well trained and understand the game probably better than the local boys. However the Crescents intend to make their strongest kind of a fight and will work hard to win. The game is called for 3 o'clock. A collection to defray expenses will be taken on the grounds.

A Good Record for Sam Hill.

There is an exhibition in C. E. Lerate's show window on Park street a photo- graph of Sam Hill, Jr. It was taken at Hopedock park and is an elegant likeness of the animal. His record for the year is also given. Out of 12 starts he won five firsts, two seconds, three thirds and two fourths. His mark is 2:34. Sam Hill, Jr., is five years old, and horsemen who ought to know says he is really a wonder- ful little horse.

Offers a Gold Medal.

Sergeant George Crosier of Company M has offered a gold medal as a prize to be shot for by the members of Company M. No definite plans for the shooting have been arranged. It is probable, how- ever, that handicap shoots will be held at regular intervals and the one making the best score will be allowed to wear the medal for a certain length of time. This will be an incentive to make the men practice and thereby become better marksmen.

Ball Committee Makes Arrangements.

Company M's ball committee met Thursday evening and completed some of the arrangements for their annual ball to be held in Armory hall Friday evening, December 3. Palmer's orchestra will be engaged to furnish music, John Hammond will cater and J. Ryan of Springfield will prompt. The decorating for the event, will be in charge of the various commit- tees combined.

Their Fourth Anniversary.

Branch No. 9 of National Loomfixers' association will celebrate their fourth an- niversary in their rooms in Collins' block this evening. A pleasing concert pro- gram has been arranged and William Russell will read a history of the organi- zation. Palmer's orchestra will be pre- sent and a dance will be held. F. D. Field will prompt. About 100 invitations have been issued and a very pleasant evening is anticipated.

Thanksgiving Concert and Dance.

The regular meeting of the St. Jean Baptist society was held Thursday eve- ning and arrangements for their coming concert and dance to be held Thanksgiv- ing eve were discussed. The Ideal or- chestra of North Adams will give the concert and furnish dancing music. A supper will also be served. The event will be held in their hall on Commercial street.

Cabinet Meeting Held.

The cabinet of the Young Men's club met Thursday evening and discussed plans for next Wednesday's meeting. An out-of-town speaker will be present and make an address. It is probable Principal Murdock of the North Adams normal school will be the speaker. If a speaker is obtained the meeting will be an open meeting, otherwise it will be a regular meeting of the club.

Co-operative Bank Meeting

The regular meeting of the Adams Co- operative bank will be held next Tuesday evening. Shareholders are requested to leave their books with the secretary to be reckoned.

Will Go to North Adams.

The Foresters of North Adams will hold a concert and dance in Columbia opera house in this city this evening. About 20 members of the local court of Forester, will attend.

Mrs. Philip Powers and Mrs. John Dor- ane of Murray street attended the fun- eral of Mrs. Ellen Dineen at St. Francis' church in North Adams this morning.

J. W. Sullivan of New York was the guest of his cousin, E. A. Cadigan, Thurs- day.

The regular meeting of the N. E. O. P. will be held this evening.

Charles Tatro has taken a position on P. Charon's milk wagon.

The Adams whist club will meet this evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Plur- kott.

Rev. Mrs. Cullen of New York, Murphy of Lee and Adrain of Great Barrington were guests of Rev. Fr. Moran this week. Dallas Anthony has moved into the house on Park street vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carno.

The foot race between Doyle and Fitz- gerald will take place at Zylonite Satur- day afternoon.

George Hudecker has sold out his con- fectionery and cigar business on Park street to John Mitchell of North Adams.

Mrs. T. A. Mole of Pittsfield visited friends here Thursday.

The regular monthly devotions of the League of the Sacred Heart will take place at St. Thomas' church at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

B. Andrews of Cambridge was the guest of local friends Thursday.

John Whipple of Pittsfield visited friends here Thursday.

Don't forget that "O'Hoolihan's Silver Wedding" will be celebrated at the opera house this evening.

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The cables for the underground con- ducts in Eagle, Church, Pleasant, East Quincy, Spring, Ashland and Marshall streets are expected every day and will be placed in position as rapidly as pos- sible when they come. The company will also put up "paired" wires in various places in the city. These are a new thing and greatly lessen the noises sometimes interfering with the use of the telephone. A pay station has been opened at C. H. Goodell's store in Zylonite.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Re- cently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRA-N-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most deli- cate stomach receives it without distress and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Chil- dren may drink it with great benefit.

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